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SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP
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Fairs to Promote Skill Development
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Will the Minister of SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government organises melas/special camps and other programmes to promote skill development;

(b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise including Madhya Pradesh during each of the last three years and the current year;

(c) whether melas are likely to be organised in the near future at various locations; and

(d) if so, the details thereof along with the name of locations?

Answer

(a) & (b) The Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship has Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY) which is flagship skill development Scheme of the Government of India. This scheme is being implemented by National Skill Development Corporation (NSDC) to the training providers affiliated with NSDC. NSDC affiliated training partners organized 'Kaushal Melas' in order to promote the PMKVY. The key feature of organizing such camps was to disseminate information about various skill training options, outline possible career paths and income generation potential once the training is imparted. List of Kaushal Melas organized under PMKVY 2015-16 state-wise including Madhya Pradesh are at Annexure-I.

(c) & (d) Under PMKVY (2016-2020), Training Partners/Training Centres have been mandated to conduct one Kaushal Mela/camp once every 6 months. Locations where the Kaushal Melas/camps are scheduled to be organised shortly are at Annexure-II.

Annexure-I

State-wise list of Kaushal Melas organized under PMKVY 2015-16.

States/Union Territories	Kaushal Melas
Andaman and Nicobar Islands	0
Andhra Pradesh	14
Arunachal Pradesh	1
Assam	11
Bihar	41
Chandigarh	1
Chhattisgarh	7
Dadra and Nagar Haveli	0
Daman and Diu	0
Delhi	19
Goa	2
Gujarat	8
Haryana	16
Himachal Pradesh	12
Jammu and Kashmir	5
Jharkhand	24
Karnataka	12
Kerala	9
Madhya Pradesh	32
Maharashtra	27
Manipur	2
Meghalaya	7
Mizoram	0
Nagaland	2
Odisha	6
Puducherry	2
Punjab	7
Rajasthan	19
Sikkim	1
Tamil Nadu	19
Telangana	12

Tripura 3
Uttar Pradesh 57
Uttarakhand 6
West Bengal 26
Total 410

Annexure- II

List of states where Kaushal Melas/camps are scheduled to be organised
Training Centre State Training Centre District
Assam Darrang
Assam Golaghat
Assam Kamrup
Assam Sivasagar
Assam Tinsukhia
Manipur Imphal
Jammu and Kashmir Jammu
Jammu and Kashmir Kathua
Jammu and Kashmir Samba
Bihar Nalanda
Bihar Patna
Bihar Saran
Bihar Vaishali
Delhi Delhi
Delhi South Delhi
Delhi West Delhi
Goa North Goa
Gujarat Gandhinagar
Karnataka Bangalore
Karnataka Belgaum
Kerala Ernakulam
Kerala Thiruvananthapuram
Madhya Pradesh Chhindwara
Madhya Pradesh Indore
Maharashtra Pune
Tamil Nadu Namakkal
Tamil Nadu Sivaganga
Uttar Pradesh Gautam Budh Nagar
Uttar Pradesh Varanasi
West Bengal Parganas North